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NEWS OF THE MORNING.

In New York yesterday Government bonds were quoted at 122½ for 4s of 1897; 111½ for 4½s; sterling, \$4 34¢ 85¢; 100½ for 8s; silver bars, 107.

per cent. In London, 45 5½d; consols, 98 5½d; 5 per cent. Bank of England stocks, extended, 105; 4s, 125½; 4½s, 115½.

In San Francisco Mexican dollars are quoted at 84 68¢ cents.

The stock market in San Francisco opened with firm prices yesterday morning, but business was very dull.

The President yesterday nominated S. S. Cox, of New York, to be Minister to Turkey. Senator and Mrs. Stanford furnished the Washington newsmen with their annual dinner Monday.

General Grant took a ride in his carriage yesterday.

The destination and suffering in West Virginia continues.

At the annual meeting of the Union Pacific stockholders, yesterday, three new Directors were elected in the place of Jay Gould, Russell Sage and S. H. Clark.

Lowell speaks highly of his successor as Minister to England.

A canning company of Chicago has received orders from the British Government for 4,000,000 pounds of canned beef.

The rebellion in Mauritius continues, and seems to be unabated.

The Afghan Boundary dispute between England and Russia will, according to the present outlook, result in a war between the two countries.

Mrs. Thomas Menzies died in the Montezuma hills, Rio Vista, yesterday, of paralysis.

Two banks in San Francisco are contesting the claim of the Government to certain lands on the Islands.

A telegraph cable is to be laid between Mare Island and Vallejo.

In San Francisco yesterday Judge Hastings, aged 70, was married to Little Kunst, aged 19.

Eastern organizations of Union army veterans propose to hold their next annual meeting in San Francisco.

E. T. Buckley, an actor well known on this coast, died yesterday in New York Tuesday.

It is now considered in Washington that all the bureau offices will be changed.

President Cleveland's sisters are said to be staunch Republicans.

Four large steamships are being constructed at St. Nazario, France, to run between Havre and New York.

The trial of the case of the Supreme Court of Japan is waiting the New York Courts.

The Massachussets Legislature last week resolved to ferret out certain corruption charged to exist in the administration of the business of the State. But a day or two succeeding the houses of the "General Court" rescinded the resolution. The people are not wanting who now charge that the Legislature has been unduly influenced. The Boston Globe, which, however, is politically opposed to the party dominant in the Legislature, does not hesitate to say: "It is doubtful whether so desperate a move has ever before been made, since the adoption of the Constitution, to shield brazen wrong-doing and cover up outrageous abuse of trusts by those sworn to protect, not to prey upon, the interests of the people of the old Bay State." There is certainly some reason to believe that an investigation was needed, and once resolved upon it should not have been abandoned. Even in old Massachusetts, evidently, the bosses do not lack for cunning, and are not shorn of power.

WHAT MAY BE DONE.

A conference of business men and those feeling an interest in the endowment made by Mrs. E. B. Crocker, is to be held this afternoon. It is to be hoped that vigorous action will be taken. It has been recently proved what a community of this size can do when once it unites for a common purpose. The one thing to be borne in mind is that California is in a formative condition. Whatever community fixes interests now and gathers about it a supporting population, is fixed in prosperity for all time. Fixed interests have retained many a city in a policy and locality which wisdom would not originally justified, and by neglecting to fix interests has lost positions of wisdom dictated. The towns of California that add to their importance and attractiveness more, are those which will become population and trade centers and the seats of intelligence and culture for all time. These latter conduct to good citizenship, business prosperity and general happiness. The proposed benefaction will not only make such an art center and open to the public of the whole coast a gallery where our sons and daughters may gratify their tastes at the easel, and receive instruction from a master, but it will secure to Sacramento a repository of natural history and curiosities; possibly an observatory, possibly a laboratory, and certainly and immediately an exposition of the products of every county in the State, and a place where they may be tested, tried and exhibited. It will be a permanent exemplification of the capacity of every county and the quality of the soil and products of each. It will be a book to the incoming immigrant, speaking to him of the value and desirability of the soils and products of every region; and here will be gathered for his information all manner of facts needful for him to know, if having settlement in view. Such an exhibit can be put in place inside of three months and greatly enlarged and improved as time passes. In the meantime a classified museum and analytical work can be entered upon for the edification of all visitors and the instruction of our people and their children. Such other culturing and supplemental work as befits such an institution can be entered upon with benefit also, and thus the Museum Association grow to become a center of information and commercial prosperity, a center of intelligence and culture, an aid to the children of the poor, an opportunity for the rich and a blessing to the entire State. From all this Sacramento will reap the profit that flows from enlargement of fixed interests, the general culture of the people and the attractiveness of such an institution as is contemplated and possible. The \$100,000 should be raised by individual effort. There should be no appeal to the municipality. To attempt that will be to cripple, if not to kill, the scheme. Three times the sum asked is squandered in this city annually in luxuries and indulgences; let us share these and put the sum into the investment proposed. Let this people show their appreciation of the splendid gift made, and not lose it by suggesting new conditions.

TUTT'S PILLS
25 YEARS IN USE.
The Greatest Medical Triumph of the Age!
SYMPTOMS OF A TORPID LIVER.
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Lose appetite, Bowels constipated, Pain in the head, with dull sensations in the body, Indigestion, flatulence, &c., &c. The body is fatigued, the skin is pale, the hair thin, the complexion sallow. What with olives, honey, of which there are tons, the magnificent California wheat, wool and silk, could any one ask more of the wealth of the golden State? Here are riches enough, and when the visitor looks forth into the next state to the left, which is Colorado, to the right, which is Arizona, and to the one in the rear, which is Nevada, and sees mountains of ore and minerals, he does not feel that California is wanting in any element of material wealth, although she shows only a fancy glass case of cabinet specimen. The trout fish are rich and plenty. What are we to say for the future? Come together fifty acres at the expense of happiness, pleasure and comfort!—Oakland Tribune.

WHEN it is considered that in no production of the soil there is a glut except in breadstuff, and that in many branches of agriculture fair and even high prices are realized, it is a wonder if we in California should learn from this to diversity more, the lesson will not cost us so dearly.—Sutter Farmer.

TUTT'S HAIR DYE.
GRAY HAIR. Whether caused by age or disease, or by a single application of this DYE, it imparts a natural color, acts instantaneously. Sold by Druggists, or by express, post office of **TUTT'S**, 44 Murray St., N.Y.

We depart from our usual practice and recommend Hunt's Remedy as a sure cure for all kidney diseases.—[Medical Gazette.

PACIFIC COAST ITEMS.

Bags ten-cent pieces are in circulation in Grass Valley.

Quals are said to becoming a great nuisance in Arizona.

The Ventura Signal says "trout will be ripe until the 1st of April."

The liquor license in Salem, Or., has been reduced to \$350 from \$500.

Vacaville had a "lady" dealer of stud-horse poker in one of its saloons.

There are 168 taxpayers in Placer county who are assessed at \$8,000 more.

For several days a destructive fire has been raging in the Miwuk mountains, a geranium leaf measuring ten inches across the center is on exhibition at San Diego.

A large panther was seen in the foothills of Rincon Valley, Sonoma county, Friday morning.

Two trees were cut down on the Gila River, Arizona, that furnished 100 pounds of lumber.

Martinez will be supplied with water for a source of an altitude of 480 feet and about five miles distant.

The same law is being enforced in Yerba Buena county. Three offending tourists were fined \$10 each last week.

The Bodie Free Press says that a man of that is raising a breed of hens that will lay decorated Easter eggs.

The severe cold in winter has not hampered the scene in eastern Oregon. The wool is full.

The Yank (A. T.) Republican says that a scheme is on hand to colonize lands on the Colorado river below Yuma.

The Reno (Nev.) Gazette says that there is water enough flowing down Truckee river to drive a million spindles.

A large number of tourists went to look at the remains of Silvas Martini, who was hanged at Los Angeles last Friday.

On Tuesday, some dead body of Hunter's Point found the body of Simon A. Peyster, a book-keeper, floating near the shore. The deceased presumably committed suicide, as his body was found to be partially decomposed and disintegrated for some time past over various troubles. He was employed by H. Wong at the time of his death, and was last seen alive about 1 P.M. Monday.

On Wednesday, the body of Mr. Phelps was found.

The State Board of Education met in regular session yesterday morning.

The following communication from A. L. Bancroft & Co. was read and placed on file:

W. C. T. U.—Regular meeting to-day (Thursday) at 1 o'clock, at M. C. A. Rooms.

To the Honorable State Board of Education, Sacramento, Cal.—GENTLEMEN:—We have had the pleasure to inform you that we have just issued a proposition enabling you to make use of our new series Bancroft Readers under consideration.

In considering what we can do in justice to ourselves to assist you in the matter of reading, we have decided to issue a series of books which we have assumed the co-operation between yourselves and the State Printer would be necessary. It is our desire to have them ready for distribution as soon as possible.

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If an agreement of this kind can be made we will be pleased to furnish you an entire outfit of our publications, and will be happy to supply you with any additional article you may desire.

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THE LOAN EXHIBITION.
The Mummy Excites Interest—A Military Serenade to Mrs. Crocker.

WEATHER REPORT.
All Observations Taken at the 75th Meridian, Sacramento, U. S. Army, Sacramento, March 25, 1885, 11 P.M. (Eastern time), 75° 40' meridian; (Pacific time), 12th meridian.

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50.11	-08 48	-2	S. Clear
50.08	-08 48	+	Calm 0
50.09	-08 55	+	Clear
50.12	-02 54	6	N. 6
50.14	-02 54	6	N. 6
50.16	-02 59	6	Cloudy
50.16	-02 59	6	Cloudy
50.16	-02 59	1	S. N. 8
50.16	-02 59	1	Cloudy
50.17	-02 59	1	S. W. 8
50.17	-02 59	1	Cloudy
50.20	-04 06	12	Clear
50.20	-02 57	3	N. W. 22 Clear
			Mazatlan temperature, 65°; minimum, 53°.
			JAMES A. BARWICK, Sergeant, Signal Corps, U.S.A.

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, March 25th.—Indications for Pacific coast: Fair weather in north and south regions. Fair weather in middle Pacific coast, followed by rain.

ADVERTISMENT MENTION.

Troy, "Morning," "A Mountain Dandy." The Loan Exhibition—A Mummy. O. C. F., Friendship Council. C. T. C., to-day. Concerts—Concerts this evening, Sacramento Commandery, to-night. Masquerade ball, this evening.

Action Sale.

Sheburn & Smith, to-morrow, at 125 J street.

Business Advertisements.

Red House—Hats and caps. L. W. Lewis & Co.—Gardan ranges. Frank & Sons—Sailor suits. Fonda—Sports packages. Situation wanted—A large tract of flat land. W. D. Constance—Furniture.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

WHO IT WAS.

The Identity of the Man Found in the River.

Reference was made in yesterday's RECORD-UNION to the facts connected with the finding Monday afternoon of the body of an unknown man floating in the river opposite Freeport, and the inquest held thereon by Justice S. S. Jackson, of Washington. Chief Jackson had for some weeks been looking for and expecting information of that character. About six weeks ago John McDonald, a passenger of a saloon in town, and L. Brooks informed him that a man named McDonald, who was employed as line-tender on the barge of the steamer San Joaquin, No. 3, had about two weeks previously left at this place one evening a portion of the crew, and that he had been unable to find the articles nor had he Brown heard of any one having seen him from the time he left the saloon that evening to go aboard his boat, though there was ten days pay count to him from the steamer company. It was Brown's belief that something must have happened to him, either he had been killed or he had run away.

FOUL PLAY.

Or he had fallen overboard, and drowned. On Saturday he made inquiries at the police station, where he learned that nothing in mind, believing that so far as McDonald's body would be found in the river. The description of the body found on Monday tallied with that given by the man who had been found floating in the river. So closely did the chief accomplish it, led by Brown, Justice S. S. Jackson and Under-taker Kavanaugh, went to the cemetery to disinter and examine the remains. When the body was exposed it was plainly identified as that of the missing sailor, and that he had been found floating in the river. The body was not badly decomposed, considering the time it was in the water, having probably been covered with sand until it was washed up on shore. The body was very small and well formed, and the nails show that the hands were not accustomed to hard work. In fact, like the Egyptian mummies, the body was in excellent condition, and the skin, hair, and parties of the body were nearly as fresh as when it was taken from the steamer. An awful story was set about that it was a practical joke, and that the Museum Association had no mummy on exhibition. Those present yesterday at the gallery can give the report at detail. The figure is that of a wizened old man, thin in the limbs, and apparently weighing about 125 pounds. The internal organs were removed, and the body mummified and excellently preserved, probably by the salter process. Once it passed the threshold of the salter, it was in good condition, and was originally upon a bed with the upper part of the head and shoulders removed. Officers Frank and Heisen, who were on board the steamer San Joaquin, No. 3, had arrived at 12:30 P.M. yesterday, and were shown the body. They were shocked to find that it was a mummy.

The body was taken to the mortuary of Dr. H. C. Brink, and daughter, Miss Helen Brink, who have been spending some months at the East and returned by way of New Orleans to see the World's Exposition, arrived yesterday.

Arrived at Sacramento yesterday morning, and were at the office of Frank K. Kline, who has been spending some months at the West, and who is a member of the United States Senate.

EXECUTIVE PARDON.

Governor Stoneman has pardoned and ordered released from the State Prison Walter Belding, who was convicted of an assault with a deadly weapon at the September term, 1883, of the Superior Court of San Joaquin county, and sentenced to two years' imprisonment. The pardon was granted upon the recommendation of the Board of Prison Directors.

CAUGHT AT BOUNDS.—Tuesday morning one of the prisoners at the Folsom prison, a Chinaman, made his escape from the walls of the State Prison, and was recaptured yesterday morning at 6 A.M. in a neighboring town.

Colonel T. W. Sheehan commanding marched to the residence of Mrs. Crocker and gave her a delightful surprise with a present and a kiss.

At St. Rose Church, last evening, Michael Flynn and Miss Katie Hughes were united in marriage by Rev. Father Grace. John Flynn, son of Michael Flynn, and his wife, Virginia Lee as bridegroom. After the marriage ceremony the newly-married entertained their many friends in the parsonage.

John Flynn, a retired soldier, and his wife, Mrs. John Flynn, were present, and the assembly gave three hearty cheers for the happy couple.

At the organ recital and festival on the head of the deceased showed that what had been taken at the time of the inquest to be a bullet wound—the bullet was found in the brain.

A warrant was issued for the arrest of Frank Kahn for the arrest of Frank Kahn for the charge of murder.

Frank Kahn, a man of 25, was arrested at 12:30 P.M. yesterday.

He was charged with the killing of his mother.

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